



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**Applicant** : James H. Bennett  
**Serial No.** : 10/052,973  
**Attny. No.** : 7190-D20  
**Filed** : 10/29/01  
**Title** : **THERMOPLASTIC SHEET HAVING A COLORANT TO PRODUCE A VISUAL EFFECT**

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**ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

**Commissioner for Patents**  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 5, 2002, Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time. A check in the amount of \$110.00 is attached to this petition. If any additional fees are necessary to respond to the outstanding Office Action, you are hereby authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 08-2789 in the name of Howard & Howard. **A duplicate of this document is enclosed.**

**Respectfully submitted,**

**HOWARD & HOWARD ATTORNEYS, P.C.**

April 2, 2003

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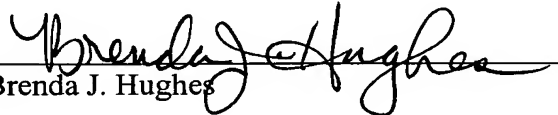
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**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

I hereby certify that this One-Month Extension of Time is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to **Commissioner for Patents**, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 on April 2, 2003.

  
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